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Korea's Additional TRQs for Agricultural Products

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Report Highlights:

On May 11, 2011, the Ministry for Food, Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (MFAFF) announced temporary duty reductions on a wide array of agricultural commodities in order to stabilize rising food prices. These tariff cuts become effective on May 12, 2011. Of note, a zero duty 50,000 ton TRQ was made for frozen chicken imports.

General Information:

MIFAFF NOTICE 2011-226

May 11, 2011

1. This notice shall be effective as of May 12, 2011.
2. The TRQ that was received prior to this notice, based on MIFAFF notices 2010-443, 2011-21, and 2011-98, shall be considered as having received the quota based on this notice.
3. The quota listed in Appendix Table 1 shall be applicable to the imports that are completed by June 30, 2011. The quota listed in Appendix Table 2 shall be applicable to the imports that are completed by December 31, 2011.
4. The tariff rate quota in Appendix Table 1, under the HS number of 0203.19, 0401.30, 0406.10, and 0406.90 shall be applicable to the amount imported during the period May 00, 2011 ~ June 30, 2011. The tariff rate quota in Appendix Table 2, under the HS number of 0207.12, and 0207.14 shall be applicable to the amount imported during the period May 00, 2011 ~ December 31, 2011.
5. The earlier MIFAFF Notice 2011-98 shall be abolished.

[Appendix Table 1]**Products subject to lower duty until June 30, 2011**

HS Number		Product Name	Specifications, etc	Duty (%)	Quota
0203	1	Pork (Fresh, chilled or frozen)		0	20,000 MT
0203		Fresh or chilled			
0203		Other			
0203		Frozen			
0203	29	Other		0	110,000 MT (50,000 MT for processing and 60,000 MT of pork bellies)
0401	30	Milk and cream, not concentrated nor containing added sugar or other sweetening matter)	This is for processed milk cream and does not include frozen cream.	0	1,500 MT
0401		Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 6%			
0406		Cheese and curd			

	10	Fresh (unripened or uncured) cheese, including whey cheese, and curd	Cream cheese	0	1,200 MT
0406	90	Other cheese	Gouda cheese	0	1,000 MT
0408		Birds' eggs, not in shell, and egg yolks, fresh, dried, cooked by steaming or by boiling in water, moulded, frozen or otherwise preserved, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter.			
0408	9	Other			
0408	91	Dried	Egg powder	0	300 MT
0703		Onions, shallots, garlic, leeks and other alliaceous vegetables, fresh or chilled			
	20	Garlic		10	26,467 MT
0901		Coffee, whether or not roasted or decaffeinated; coffee husks and skins; coffee substitutes containing coffee in any proportion			
0901	1	Coffee, not roasted			
0901	11	Not decaffeinated		0	Total import amount
0901	12	Decaffeinated		0	Total import amount
1001		Wheat and meslin			
1001	90	Other			
		2. Other			
		C. For milling		0	2.4 million MT
1106		Flour, meal and powder of the dried leguminous vegetables of heading 0713 of sago or of roots or tubers of heading 0714 or of products of Chapter 8			

1106	30	Of products of Chapter 8	Coconut powder	0	Total import amount
1507		Soya-bean oil and its fractions, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified			
1507	10	Crude oil, whether or not degummed	For food	2.5	Total import amount
1509		Olive oil and its fractions, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified			
1509	10	Virgin		0	Total import amount
1509	90	Other		0	Total import amount
1512		Sunflower-seed, safflower or cotton-seed oil and fractions thereof, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified			
1512	1	Sunflower-seed or safflower oil and fractions thereof:			
1512	19	Other			
		1. Refined oil			
		A. Sunflower-seed oil		0	Total import amount
1514		Rape, colza or mustard oil and fractions thereof, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified			
1514	1	Low erucic acid rape or colza oil and its fractions:			
1514	11	Crude oil		0	Total import amount
1514	9	Other			
1514	91	Crude oil			
		1. Other rape oil or colza oil		0	Total import amount

1515		Other fixed vegetable fats and oils (including jojoba oil) and their fractions, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified			
1515	2	Maize (corn) oil and its fractions:			
1515	21	Crude oil		0	Total import amount
1515	29	Other		0	Total import amount
1515	90	Other 2. Other	Refined grape seed oil	0	Total import amount
1701		Cane or beet sugar and chemically pure sucrose, in solid form			
1701	1	Raw sugar not containing added flavouring or colouring matter:			
1701	11	Cane sugar			
		1. Of a polarization not exceeding 98.5°		0	Total import amount
		2. Of a polarization exceeding 98.5°		0	Total import amount
1701	12	Beet sugar			
		1. Of a polarization not exceeding 98.5°		0	Total import amount
		2. Of a polarization not exceeding 98.5°		0	Total import amount
1801	00	Cocoa beans, whole or broken, raw or roasted			
		1. Raw		0	Total import amount
1905		Bread, pastry, cakes, biscuits and other bakers' wares, whether or not containing cocoa; communion wafers, empty cachets of a kind of suitable for pharmaceutical use, sealing wafers, rice papers and similar products			
1905	90	Other	Of bakers'	6	Total import

			wares, biscuits, cookies and crackers		amount
2009		Fruit juices (including grape must) and vegetable juices, unfermented and not containing added spirit, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter			
2009	1	Orange juice			
2009	11	Frozen		35	9,000 MT

[Appendix Table 2]

Products subject to lower duty until Dec 31, 2011

HS Number		Product Name	Specifications, etc	Duty (%)	Quota
0102		Live bovine animals			
0102	90	Other 1. Milk cows		0	10,000 heads
0105		Live poultry, that is to say, fowls of the species Gallus domesticus, ducks, geese, turkeys and guinea fowls			
0105	1	Weighing not more than 185g			
0105	11	Fowls of the species Gallus domesticus 2. Other	Layers chicks	0	1,000,000 birds
0207		Meat and edible offal, of the poultry of heading 01.05, fresh, chilled or frozen			
0207	1	Of fowls of the species Gallus domesticus:			
0207	12	Not cut in pieces, frozen	Excluding weighing not more than 550g	0	

0207	14	Cuts and offal, frozen				50,000 MT
		1. Cuts	Leg, breast, and wing	0		
0401		Milk and cream, not concentrated nor containing added sugar or other sweetening matter)				
0401	30	Of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 6%	Frozen cream	0		17,000 MT
0402		Milk and cream, concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter				
0402	10	In powder, granules or other solid forms, of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 1.5%		0		26,000 MT
0402	2	In powder, granules or other solid forms, of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 1.5%				
0402	21	Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter		0		4,000 MT
0402	29	Other		0		
0404		Whey, whether or not concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter; products consisting of natural milk constituents, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, not elsewhere specified or included				
0404	10	Whey and modified whey, whether or not concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter				
		1. Whey	For feeding	4		
		2. Modified whey				
		A. Whey from which all or part of the lactose proteins or minerals have been removed				

		(1) Lactose removed, Demineralized or whey protein concentrates	For feeding	4		35,000 MT
		(2) Other	For feeding	4		
		B. Other	For feeding	4		
0405		Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk; dairy spreads				
0405	10	Butter		0		3,500 MT
0405	20	Dairy spreads		0		
2106		Food preparations not elsewhere specified or included				40,000 MT
2106	90	Other				
		5. Other				
		B. Preparations with a basis of butter	Of a butter content, by weight, exceeding 70%	0		
0406		Cheese and curd				
0406	10	Fresh (unripened or uncured) cheese, including whey cheese, and curd	Mozzarella cheese	0		23,000 MT
0406	90	Other cheese	Cheddar cheese	0		
0504	00	Guts, bladders and stomachs of animals (other than fish), whole and pieces thereof, fresh, chilled, frozen, salted, in brine, dried or smoked	Processed and treated for sausage casing use	13		500 MT
0714		Manioc, arrowroot, salep, Jerusalem artichokes, sweet potatoes and similar roots and tubers with high starch or inulin content, fresh, chilled, frozen or dried, whether or not sliced or in the form of pellets; sago pith				
0714	10	Manioc (cassava)				
		2. Dried				

		A. Chips	For alcohol	5	100,000MT
		B. Pellets	For feeding	1	900,000MT
0806		Grape, fresh or dried (raisins)			
0806	20	Dried		8	Total import amount
1002		Rye			
	00	1. For seed	For green manure	1	5,000 MT
1003		Barley			
	00	1. Malting barley		15	30,250 MT
		2. Other			
		A. Unhulled barley	For feeding	4	100,000MT
1005		Maize (corn)			
1005		Other			
	90	1. For feeding	Including corn used to grow mushroom	0	9,050,000 MT (9 million MT for feeding and 50,000 MT for mushroom)
		3. Other	For processing	0	2,234,000 MT
1101		Wheat or meslin flour			
	00	1. Of wheat		0	Total import amount
1105		Flour, meal, powder, flakes, granules and pellets of potatoes			
1105	10	Flour, meal and powder		0	1,500 MT
1105	20	Flakes, granules and pellets		0	

1107		Malt, whether or not roasted			
1107	10	Not roasted	For beer	12	
1107	20	Roasted			207,000 MT
		1. Smoked	For beer	12	
		2. Other	For beer	12	
1108		Starches; inulin			
1108	1	Starches			
1108	14	Manioc (cassava) starch	For paper	4	30,000 MT
1201	00	Soya beans, whether or not broken			
		1. For soya bean oil and oil cake or feeding	For soya bean oil and oil cake	0	1,150,000 MT
1207		Other oil seeds and oleaginous fruits, whether or not broken			
1207	20	Cotton seeds	For feeding	2	160,000 MT
1214		Swedes, mangolds, fodder roots, hay, lucerne (alfalfa), clover, sainfoin, forage kale, lupines, vetches and similar forage products, whether or not in the form of pellets			
1214	90	Other			
		1. Fodder roots		3	
		2. Other			
		B. Other	For feeding	3	760,000 MT (700,000MT for feeding and 60,000 MT for mushroom)
2308		Vegetable materials and			

	00	vegetable waste, vegetable residues and by-products, whether or not in the form of pellets, of a kind of used in animal feeding, not elsewhere specified or included			
		4. Other	For feeding (including ones used for mushroom production)	3	
1515		Other fixed vegetable fats and oils (including jojoba oil) and their fractions, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified			
1515	90	Other			
		2. Other	Rice bran oil	0	Total import amount
1518	00	Animal and vegetable fats and oils and their fractions, boiled, oxidized, dehydrated, sulphurised, blown, polymerized by heat in vacuum or in inert gas or otherwise chemically modified, excluding those of heading 15.16; inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils or of fraction of different fats or oils of this Chapter, not elsewhere specified or included	For feeding (excluding dehydrated castor oil and epoxidised soya-bean oil)	4	50,000 MT
1702		Other sugars, including chemically pure lactose, maltose, glucose and fructose, in solid form; sugar syrups not containing added flavouring or colouring matter; artificial honey, whether or not mixed with natural honey; caramel			
1702	1	Lactose and lactose syrup			

1702	11	Containing by weight 99% or more lactose, expressed as anhydrous lactose, calculated on the dry matter	Lactose	0	20,000 MT
1702	19	Other	Lactose	0	
1806		Chocolate and other food preparations containing cocoa			
1806	20	Other preparations in blocks, slabs or bars weighing more than 2 kg or in liquid, paste, powder, granular or other bulk form in containers or immediate packing, of a content exceeding 2 kg	Followings		
			1. Chocolates and chocolate confectionery	0	Total import amount
			2. Cocoa preparations containing 50% or more by weight of milk powder	0	5,000 MT
2008		Fruits, nuts and other edible parts of plants, otherwise prepared or preserved, whether or not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or spirit, not elsewhere specified or included			
2008	1	Nuts, ground-nuts and other seeds, whether or not mixed together:			
2008	11	Ground-nuts	Excluding peanut butter	24	10,000 MT
2207		Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of 80% vol or higher; ethyl alcohol and other spirits, denatured, or any strength			
2207	10	Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alcoholic strength by volume of 80% vol or higher			

		1. Roughly distilled alcohol for beverages		0	160,000 kilolitre
2303		Residues or starch manufacture and similar residues, beetpulp, bagasse and other waste of sugar manufacture, brewing or distilling dregs and waste, whether or not in the form of pellets			
2303	20	Beetpulp, bagasse and other waste of sugar manufacture	Beetpulp for feeding	2	170,000 MT
2303	30	Brewing or distilling dregs and waste	For feeding	1	920,000 MT
2304	00	Oil-cake and other solid residues, whether or not ground or in the form of pellets, resulting from the extraction of soyabean oil	For feeding	0	2,700,000 MT
3102		Mineral or chemical fertilizers, nitrogenous			
3102	10	Urea, whether or not in aqueous solution			
		1. Agricultural fertilizers or for manufacturing agricultural fertilizers		1	900,000 MT
3302		Mixtures of odoriferous substances and mixtures (including alcoholic solutions) with a basis of one or more of these substances, of a kind of used as raw materials in industry; other preparations based on odoriferous substances, of a kind used for the manufacture of beverages			
3302	10	Of a kind used in the food or drinking industries			
		1. Of a kind used in the food industries		3	

		2. Of a kind used in the beverage industries			3,000 MT
		B. Other		3	
2903	39			4	
3402	90			4	
3808	91			4	
3808	92	Agricultural chemical products	Registered products according to the Agricultural Chemical Management Act	4	5,000 MT
3808	93			4	
3808	99			4	
3808	99			4	
2825	50			1	
2827	41			1	
2833	25			1	
2909	30	Active ingredients for agricultural chemicals	Registered products according to the Agricultural Chemical Management Act	1	20,000 MT
2914	70			1	
2916	20			1	
2916	31			1	
2916	39			1	
2918	30			1	
2918	99			1	
2919	90			1	
2920	11			1	
2920	19			1	
2920	90			1	
2921	42			1	
2921	43			1	
2921	49			1	
2922	50			1	
2924	12			1	
2924	19			1	
2924	21			1	
2924	29			1	
2925	19			1	
2925	29			1	

2926	90				1	
2928	00				1	
2930	20				1	
2930	30				1	
2930	90				1	
2931	00				1	
2932	19				1	
2932	29				1	
2932	99				1	
2933	11				1	
2933	19				1	
2933	29				1	
2933	39				1	
2933	49				1	
2933	59				1	
2933	69				1	
2933	99				1	
2934	10				1	
2934	20				1	
2934	99				1	
2935	00				1	
2941	20				1	
2941	90				1	
3402	13				1	
3804	00				1	
3808	50				1	
3808	91				1	
3808	92				1	
3808	93				1	
3824	90				1	